

**House File 2147 - Introduced**

HOUSE FILE 2147

BY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 520)

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 122)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the carrying of weapons on school grounds by  
2 licensed private investigators and licensed private security  
3 officers.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 724.4B, subsection 2, Code 2011, is  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. *c.* A private investigator or a private  
4 security officer who possesses both a valid license pursuant to  
5 chapter 80A and a professional permit to carry weapons pursuant  
6 to section 724.6, while engaged in the performance of official  
7 duties.

8 EXPLANATION

9 This bill relates to the carrying of weapons on school  
10 grounds by licensed private investigators and licensed private  
11 security officers.

12 The bill authorizes a private investigator or a private  
13 security officer who possesses both a valid license pursuant  
14 to Code chapter 80A and a professional permit to carry  
15 weapons pursuant to Code section 724.6, while engaged in the  
16 performance of official duties, to carry a firearm on school  
17 grounds pursuant to Code section 724.4B.